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Biographical and Other Notes

Residences at Inverary Castle, Argyllshire and 63 Pall Mall, London. His collection of Anglo-Saxon and Norman coins were bought by Spink and first appear in SNC in November 1952. Most of his coins were acquired in the late 1930s and 1940s.

This is the 10th Duke of Argyll (S), 3rd Duke of Argyll (UK). Referred to as "Scotland's most picturesque Duke". HEM 4 and Eaglen et al. state the 15th Duke. Portraits are of the 10th Duke of Argyll.

Some of his ancestors also collected coins and an earlier cabinet took a different path to the Hunterian Museum.

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